

ATTEMPT

To Kill Procureur-General.

Discontent In Russia Becomes Serious,

Several Cities Being Under Martial Law.

Crowds Assembling In Streets or Public Places Prohibited.

St. Petersburg, March 23.—(Spl.)—A man named Lagovsky shot twice at M. Pobedonostzew, Procureur-General of the Holy Synod, while the latter was sitting in his study. Both bullets crashed through a window, but missed the Procureur-General. Lagovsky was arrested.

In view of the disturbance which have occurred in St. Petersburg, any meeting or gathering in the streets or other public places is prohibited, under penalty of a fine of 500 roubles, or three months imprisonment.

As Procureur-General of the Holy Synod M. Pobedonostzew is a member of the Committee of Ministers, with right of direct access to and communication with the Czar. He has held a leading position in Russia, and is noted for his narrow and reactionary policy in religious matters.

Martial law now exists in St. Petersburg, Moscow and all large cities. In the conspiracy to overthrow the Russian government are officials so rich and powerful that the police do not know whom to trust. The Empire seems to be on the verge of a revolution.

After Cigaret Fiends.

St. Paul, March 22.—(Spl.)—A bill has passed both houses of the Legislature making it a misdemeanor to smoke cigarettes, with a fine of \$50.

MADE A TEST

To Prove the Effects of Coffee,

In order to be sure that it really was coffee that had caused the trouble to my husband and myself, we made a careful test with the following results: We had been using coffee, more or less, for twenty years, and for many years husband was troubled with headaches, sluggish circulation and dizzy spells. I had sick headaches stomach trouble and felt nervous and despondent most of the time. Two years ago we began using Postum Food Coffee in place of our coffee. Husband soon began to improve, and looked and appeared like another person. All the old, disagreeable symptoms disappeared. In order to be sure that it was the coffee that had caused the trouble he began drinking coffee again, and the old dizzy spells, sluggishness and headaches began to come back. That settled it, and he immediately dropped coffee for good and all, and has since been using Postum and is perfectly healthy.

I have stuck to Postum, and am today a healthy, fleshy, rosy woman, where before, I was thin, pale and sallow.

You may believe we know something about whether coffee agrees with us or not, and we also know how well Postum does agree with us.

Mrs. Madison, 128 S. Division st., here in Auburn, N. Y., has been cured of indigestion and nervousness by leaving off coffee and taking up Postum Food Coffee.

Mrs. Caffrey, 1477 S. Salina st., has been greatly benefited by using Postum after leaving off coffee.

I know of many cases but only speak of a few." Mrs. S. E. Webb, 16½ Parker st., Auburn, N. Y.

BODY GUARD

Will Protect Thief Who Has Been Released on Bail.

Findlay, O., March 22.—(Spl.)—Ben Landis, confessed horse thief, by whose aid the Foster gang was rounded up, is out on bail and will have a body guard.

If Landis should meet sudden death it is feared the state's case against the gang would fall flat.

LACK

Of Guiding Principle,

London Paper States, May Cause England Loss of Prestige.

London, March 22.—(Spl.)—The Saturday Review says: "Because of a fatal lack of guiding principle alternating between churlish resistance and timid concession at Tien Tsin, we will lose prestige in the eyes of the world."

England has been constantly defeated in all her Chinese disputes.

SAND-BAGGED,

Money Taken, and Victim Thrown In Box Car to Die.

Findlay, March 22.—(Spl.)—Starved and semi-conscious, Thomas Russell was taken from a sealed box car last night. He was almost dead.

Russell remembers getting off a passenger train to Peoria, then all was blank. It is supposed he was sand-bagged and his money taken, after which he was thrown into a L. E. & W. car where he was found. He was sent to his home in eastern Pennsylvania.

DECISION

Fixing the Responsibility

For Loss of Life In Rio de Janeiro Wreck.

Captain, Pilot and Engineer Accused.

The Captain Was Drowned When Vessel Sank.

San Francisco, March 23.—The State Inspector of boilers and hulls has given his decision, fixing responsibility for the loss of 127 lives in the wreck of the steamer Rio de Janeiro.

Captain Ward is blamed for allowing the steamer to leave anchorage.

Pilot Jordan is blamed for attempting to enter port during a dense fog.

Chief Engineer Hollis is blamed for not being at his post.

The license of Hollis has been revoked. State pilots will deal with Jordan.

The captain was drowned when the steamer was wrecked.

POVERTY

Caused a Mother to Kill Her Six Children.

Cold Brook, Mass., March 22.—(Spl.)—Mrs. Frank Naramore, who killed her six children, is well enough to be removed to the hospital in Worcester today. She says she was driven to the deed by poverty and hunger.

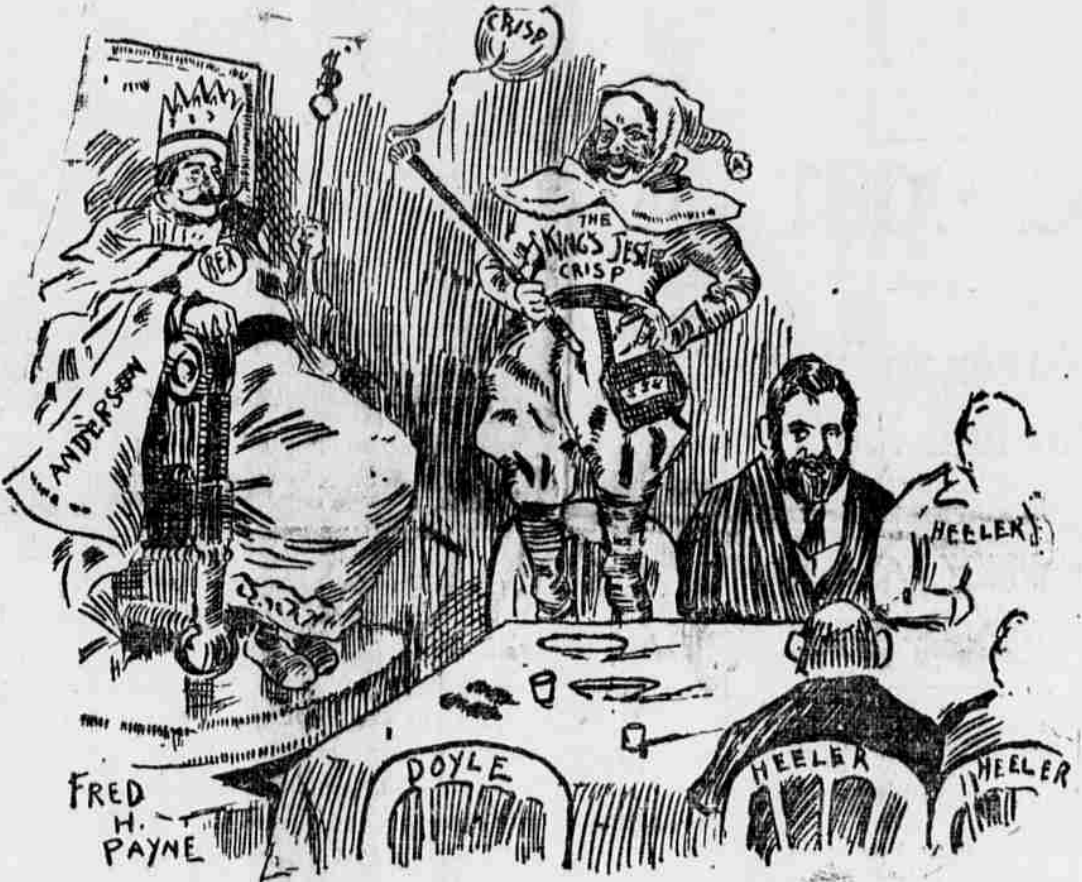
THE WEATHER:

RAIN—WARMER.

AT HIS IMPERIAL HIGHNESS' BANQUET.



Scene No. 1.—"And Mr. Doyle delivered an eloquent eulogy *** When he had finished he asked to be excused."



Scene No. 2.—"After he had finished the great and learned Judge arose and asked his company what they thought of the comely young man who had just addressed them. *** And after a speech by the King's Jester and others the candidacy of Mr. Doyle was launched." See communication below.

The MAKING of A CANDIDATE.

To the Editor of the Democrat:

Since I cast my first vote for Grant in 1872, I have in National elections voted nothing but the Republican ticket. I have never held office and never expect to, consequently my regularity has not been due to any obligations I am under personally to my party.

In local elections and especially since Dobson has become the mouth piece of my party, my ticket has often been scratched.

Now what shall I do this spring?

The candidate of my party for Mayor as far as known is a clean man personally, and under ordinary circumstances he would receive my vote.

Along with hundreds of other good Republicans, however, I am thoroughly disgusted with the way the executive branch of our government has been administered by our Board of City Commissioners. Like Mr. Hershey in his Beacon Journal card, "I have made some belittling remarks about certain people who I believe are responsible for the present condition of city affairs."

And although "these people" are supporting Mr. Doyle, he would nevertheless receive my support were I thoroughly convinced that he would not be dominated by them. How am I to determine this. Surely not by what Mr. Doyle or the Beacon Journal may say, but rather by the character of the people who stand sponsor for Mr. Doyle and who assume to be at the head of his organization.

The universal teaching of history is to the effect that men who are elevated

to official position through the efforts and influence of others, almost invariably allow themselves to be governed and controlled by their political creators. This is but human. Men are bound to feel grateful to those who have raised them to positions of honor and trust. Every nation, State and municipality have had at all times their Warwicks, their King-makers. So in determining what kind of an administration a prospective candidate for office will give, you must look further than the man himself, you must look to his advisers, his confidential friends, to those who assume to say, "He is our candidate."

Who first suggested Mr. Doyle as a candidate? Mr. Doyle says several persons mentioned it to him before Anderson ever said anything. That may be true, but who assumed to make the first public announcement? I will tell you:

Some time last Fall, Judge Anderson gave a private banquet at the Hotel Buchtel to a few of his satellites. There were present at that banquet Harry Welch, since appointed to the Police force by Anderson's proxies, the City Commissioners—Wm. Phillips and son David, now a minute man at No. 4 Engine house, soon to be promoted to a regular fireman; Charles Pike, since appointed to the police force, well, if not favorably, known to all the police officers before his appointment; Bert Eckerman, the Mill st. saloonkeeper and politician, and prospective prisonkeeper in the event that Anderson wins this spring; Bob Wil-

son, saloonkeeper and prominent Anderson lieutenant, his brother James A. Wilson, the next City Commissioner if the Judge has his way; Frank Kelley, the present Sheriff, City Commissioner Crisp and McMillen, Wm. B. Baldwin, the nominal editor, and Wm. B. Doyle, since nominated for Mayor. After the banquet proper was finished, the wine passed and the cigars lighted, the Czar rapped for order and proceeded to tell his followers what a great and mighty man he was; how much he had already done for them and how much more he proposed to do if they did not waver or swerve a hair's breadth in their allegiance. He then introduced Mr. Doyle, who delivered an eloquent eulogy on the character and accomplishments of the august, the mighty, the all powerful "Czar." When he had finished he asked to be excused, as he had another engagement. After his departure the great and learned Judge arose, squinted his face northeast by southwest, and in that peculiarly pleasant, rip-saw, sifting tone of his, asked his minions what they thought of the noble and comely young man who had just addressed them as a candidate for Mayor.

"He is all right," said Pike, "I used to go to school with him and he is as good as any of us."

"I move you that the Geo. M. Anderson Club of Prospective and Present

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Last Chance to Register Tonight.

"To See a Necessity

Is one thing—to act upon it another."
—Law Wallace.



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DUTY

Easy and Location Healthful.

Akron Soldier Likes Camp at Bangar

Much Better Than the One at Badoc.

Natives Have Been Treating Soldiers Kindly.

Private Chas. Burch, an Akron soldier with American troops at Bangar, P. I., has written another letter to his sister. He likes camp duty at Bangar much better than that at Badoc, and regards it as a more healthy location. In the letter he says: In part:

"The duty is much easier here than at Badoc, and there is less sickness. We have had only four or five mountain hikes. The last one was for three days, with only 15 men. In Badoc a detail so small wouldn't think of starting out for the hills. This was called a scouting party. It had to make a round of all the barrios in this district. When we stopped over night the natives carried us water, chickens, rice, sweet potatoes, anything they had, and cost us nothing. We certainly lived high while on these hikes. We do not have to detail the men; there are plenty ready to volunteer.

The first night we camped at San Francisco. This is where E. troop, Third cavalry, had a little mix up, and lost two men. On this last hike I carried plenty of bedding, for the nights are cold, same as in California, warm days and cool evenings. Towards morning it is certainly cold, for I have seen men walking past in the

Masonic Notice

There will be a special communication of Akron Lodge, No. 83, F. & A. M., Monday evening, March 25, at 7:30 p. m. Work in E. A. degree. All Masons are cordially invited.

T. F. WATERS, W. M.
Attest:—A. E. ROACH, Secy.

hills with a blanket thrown over their shoulders."

WILL REBUILD
Mower and Reaper Works at Doylestown.

"We shall endeavor to locate a number of manufacturing plants on our property in East Akron as soon as possible," said Mr. S. H. Miller, Saturday, to a reporter for the Democrat.

"It would mean a great sacrifice to us and a loss to the Doylestown people if we were to rebuild our mower and reaper works in Akron. The residents of the village are anxious that we organize a stock company. They have offered to subscribe for a large amount of the stock and this is probably the action that will be taken. If it is we shall certainly rebuild on the site of the plant that was destroyed."

LAST LINKS.
Citizens on Benjamin st., have been given permission to build a private sewer from Maple st. to a point 150 feet from Crosby st.

Mayor W. E. Young has received from Cloverport, Ky., an appeal for aid addressed to the people of Akron. Cloverport recently suffered greatly by fire and many are homeless. Contributions may be sent to J. A. Barry, chairman, Cloverport, Ky.

K. O. T. M.
Sir Knights of Akron tent, No. 129 are requested to meet at their hall Sunday, March 24, at 1:30 p. m. to attend the funeral of Sir Knight Geo. S. Dales from his residence, 132 Bowery st., at 2 p. m.
Sir Knights of other tents invited to attend.
S. T. CUNNINGHAM
H. B. WERT, Com.
R. K.

Three Wagon Loads of Eggs Brought to Akron Saturday.

Three wagon loads of fresh eggs, him. The entire cargo was disposed of were brought to Akron Saturday morning by "Billy" Brodt, the Litchfield largest single consignment of eggs brought to Akron in a long time.

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